

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to include the addition of the required headings for the U.S. and the addition of paragraph numbers. The Substitute Specification also includes the claims as amended above.


Examination is requested based upon the amendments made via this Preliminary Amendment and the application as amended with the substituted sheets annexed to International Preliminary Examination Report.

The claims have been amended to better comply to U.S. practice, eliminate multiple dependencies and improve readability. No new matter is added by this Amendment. Also, the Abstract is reproduced on a separate sheet and submitted herewith.

Early consideration and allowance of pending claims 1-12, as amended, is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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